

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates.

The FCC's proposed changes, in the name of "economic efficiency, would further erode America's state of democratic discourse, which is already in a sorry state. Media corporations are not like other corporations in a democracy. Economic efficiency is not the number one priority. Democracy -- and the media's role in maintaining its health -- is.